

## Message Text

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C O N F I D E N T I A L EC BRUSSELS 9833

E.O. 11652: GDS

TAGS: ETRD, EEC, TH

SUBJECT: ALLEGED USG OPPOSITION TO TARIFF CONCESSIONS FOR THAILAND

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1. MISSION OFFICERS, WHO PARTICIPATED IN MOST OF THE SEPTEMBER MEETINGS WHICH DEPUTY ASSISTANT SECRETARY BUSHNELL HAD WITH EC COMMISSION OFFICIALS, DO NOT RECALL ANY DISCUSSION OF GSP CONCESSIONS FOR THAILAND IN GENERAL, NOR OF THAI RICE IN PARTICULAR, NOR HAS ANYONE IN THE MISSION DISCUSSED THAILAND OR THAI RICE WITH EC OFFICIALS.

2. THE EC'S CURRENT GSP AS WELL AS ITS PROPOSALS FOR 1976 CONTAIN NO PROVISIONS FOR GSP TREATMENT OF RICE. HOWEVER, WE UNDERSTAND THERE ARE REPORTS THAT THE EC MIGHT MAKE CERTAIN GSP CONCESSIONS FOR RICE IN THE CONTEXT OF ITS TROPICAL PRODUCTS OFFER IN THE MTN. GREENWALD

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